



Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: On February 3, 2010, the Examiner contacted the Applicant's representative, Carol Barry, to discuss proposed amendments to place the claims in better form for allowance. The proposed amendments were to focus on the language of newly-added claim 29 to require a groove located on an inner surface of a tubular member. Ms. Barry indicated that a colleague, Reed Duthler, would be more appropriate to speak to regarding such amendments. On February 10, 2010, the Examiner contacted Mr. Duthler to discuss the proposed amendment. Mr. Duthler did not agree to the proposed amendments to the claims, and as such, the attached Final Rejection is hereby issued.